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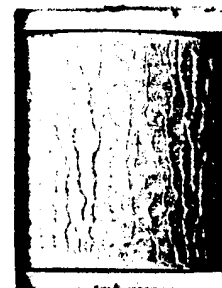
Dick--

I thought you might be interested in the attached draft prepared at Bruce's request for Studies in Intelligence, especially since you are cited positively by name on page 17.

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FYI, a draft requested by Bruce Clarke and submitted to Studies in Intelligence.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: [redacted]
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FROM: Robert M. Gates
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SUBJECT: Draft Article

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1. As I mentioned to [redacted] on Wednesday, shortly after I returned to the Agency early this year, Bruce Clarke asked me to prepare an article on the use of intelligence at the White House and on how intelligence analysis is perceived by the President and his National Security Adviser--based on my experience over three Administrations. I have finally finished such a draft, which is attached.

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2. The Director and Bruce both have reviewed the draft and profess to be extremely happy with it. I have cleared the draft with Dr. Brzezinski, who has no objection to its content, including references to NSC procedures or his communications with the DCI.

3. After all this clearance process, I finally offer the draft for your consideration. If you have any questions at all, please give me a call.

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